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FRED A. SWEET,
Manager Circulation.

Pensacola's Accommodations for the Bluejackets.

In the naval comment column of the New York Herald we find the following:

It is unlikely that the entire battle ship squadron will have a target practice at Pensacola next spring, as has been the custom for the last two years. The town is too small to accommodate the large number of bluejackets who will be in port.

If the writer of the above knows no more about naval affairs than he appears to know about the size of Pensacola, he will never become famous as a naval commentator.

Pensacola has never found any trouble in accommodating all of the bluejackets who were allowed to come ashore at one time, and when the fleet returns next spring the boys will find all of the proper accommodations here that Uncle Sam desires.

Wonder what the Pensacola police department is going to do with all the clues they have been so vigorously collecting for the past several months?

The Oakland, Cal., Newspaper Faker.

In the course of an article upon "The Newspaper Faker" the Atlanta News calls attention to the case of an Oakland, Cal., correspondent who has successfully victimized numerous newspapers with stories of imaginary happenings, in the course of which it says:

Not long since a Des Moines paper received a dispatch from Oakland, Cal., to the effect that a certain man had been murdered by his wife in a hotel, adding that he had formerly lived in Iowa. The details were given in all their grossness, and the story looked plausible enough. It developed, however, that the murder was entirely a figment of the correspondent's fancy and the newspaper had been taken in.

Other papers received dispatches telling of a suicide and then two alleged murders which were jumped up from various points which proved to be fakes. And then another story claiming that a man had been killed while doing "chickadee."

Upon investigation it developed that all these stories were without foundation and originated with the Oakland correspondent. The papers who had been trifled with have decided to hunt him down and prosecute him to the limit of the law.

The Journal has had some experience with newspaper fakers and it believes, with the Oakland correspondent in question. Some time since this paper received a query from Oakland, California, saying that a man named Brown, who claimed to reside in Pensacola, had attempted suicide by jumping overboard from the steamer Doric in mid-ocean, and had been rescued only by the prompt action of the officers and crew of the vessel. The query was signed Victor J. Marjoul.

The Journal "bit" as almost any enterprising newspaper would have done, but in its reply ordering the story added the words "if it is not a fake."

In due course the story made its appearance, but as it looked rather suspicious a careful investigation was carried on before it was published which disclosed the fact that all the Browns in the city were at home and no one of that name, related to any of the Brown family in Pensacola, was known to be within 5,000 miles of the scene of the alleged attempted suicide. The article was published,

but with the explanation that the party referred to was unknown in Pensacola.

A little inquiry among southern newspapers will probably disclose the fact that Marjoul is not unknown to them, and while he may be all right, it may develop that he is the Oakland correspondent who possesses such a vivid imagination and who is responsible for the many fake stories that emanate from there.

The Journal sincerely hopes the guilty party will be apprehended and prosecuted to the full extent of the law and to such end will gladly give all assistance in its power.

The new King of Norway will have to wobble along on a salary only equal to that of the president of an American insurance company.

Montgomery Is Tired of Street Fairs.

Montgomery also is tired of the street fair faze, as the following from the Montgomery Advertiser indicates:

There has been throughout the country universal expression of surprise that a city of Montgomery's importance, prestige and size would tolerate in its streets such nuisances as Street Fairs. We could fill a page easily with such notices.

We all know that the streets are intended for public uses, and they ought not, for any purpose, to be diverted for any considerable length of time, from that for which they are intended. On great occasions of parades, reviews, etc., they can be temporarily given over for such purposes, for the time consumed amounts to but a few hours. The people generally are glad of such occasions, and there is during the few hours a suspension of business.

The whole of last week was given over to so-called Street Fairs. Our principal streets were absolutely surrendered to them to the disgust of the thinking portion of the community and to the decided loss of the business men.

There are several points in easy reach of all who might wish to see such attractions. If there is ever any demand for them again, let them do like circuses and kindred aggregations, and get out of the business portion of the city. The old Fair grounds, at Riverside, would furnish all space for all such attractions as blocked Montgomery's streets last week, and we earnestly hope that the City Council will enact a law that will effectively prevent a repetition of such scenes as have just been witnessed on Dexter Avenue and Commerce street.

Pensacola had her fill of the street fair business last fall and she does not care to tackle it again. The fair fakers evidently know this as none of them has been near the city this year, and a cold reception awaits the first one who ventures this way.

The Kansas City Star calls men who lend money at 10 per cent a month sharks. What would it call men who lend money at 20 per cent a week?—Birmingham Ledger.

Robbers. Give us a hard one.

It is said that President Roosevelt's forthcoming message to Congress will contain only 3,000 words. About 2,000 will probably be devoted to flourishing the Biggest Stick Ever.

PANAMA CANAL OBSTRUCTIONISTS
(San Diego Dun.)

The interest that would benefit most through the delay or failure of the Panama canal project are marshalling the forces of opposition and obstruction for a concerted move on congress when it assembles next month. For half a hundred years the American people have dreamed and discussed the question of connecting the Atlantic and Pacific oceans with a canal across the isthmus, and while the advantages to be gained by the decrease in rates of transportation and the shortening of sailing time between this country and the Orient have been acknowledged by all, yet the opposition to the canal has successfully retarded every effort to make it a reality until Theodore Roosevelt appeared on the scene.

But even this potential force behind

the project has not deterred the obstructionists. They are, as Mr. Shonts pointed out in his speech before the American Hardware Manufacturers' association at Washington, still spreading the claim that the canal project will fail and that the president himself is convinced of the futility of the plan to link the oceans with a canal at Panama.

Mr. Shonts told the hardware men that the canal will be built and that the work of construction will actively begin July 1, 1906. He outlined the work already done at Panama and Colon. A system of water works has been installed, sewers have been built, the accumulated refuse of ages has been removed, yellow fever has been driven from the isthmus and the first million of brick for paving Panama streets is on the ground.

The canal commission is eliminating the worst foe for the laborers will en-

counter before turning loose an army of workmen to build the great waterway.

Mr. Shonts deplored the fact that organized labor is seeking to burden the canal work with restrictions applicable to labor in the United States but uncalled for on the isthmus. He said the application of the eight-hour law, of the contract labor law, of the Chinese exclusion act, would be a serious error. Over 80 per cent. of the canal employees will be aliens.

As Mr. Shonts pointed out, the application of those laws on the isthmus will benefit an exceptionally small number of Americans, as the 20 per cent. of Americans employed there will be largely in a clerical capacity, while such laws would add enormously to the cost of construction, and American labor at home would have to pay its share of the consequent increase in taxation.

Current Comment From Mr. Bryan's Commoner.

The people of several gang ruled cities are preparing to celebrate Thanksgiving in unusually enthusiastic style.

"Boss" Durham of Philadelphia was known to his familiars as "Iz" Durham. He is now known as "Waz" Durham.

"Boss" Cox is in a position to give some sage advice to other political bosses who insist on waiting until they are showed.

The cemeteries in Philadelphia refused to yawn on election day, the result being that the gang showed up several thousand votes short.

The public is informed that President McCurdy is losing his hearing. But the public will be more interested in hearing that President McCurdy has lost his job.

Astronomers declare that there are 100,000 miles of "spots" on the sun. There seems to be even more than that on the reputations of some life insurance presidents.

The manager of Bernard Shaw's indecent play paid a high tribute to the press when he admitted that the daily newspapers had driven that play from the stage.

When President Roosevelt has reformed football he will make a hit by giving his attention to the man who is always standing on the outside edge of the rear platform.

The indications are that several Russian grand dukes will have to go to work for a living—unless they can organize life insurance companies and secure the presidency.

"Turn your thoughts on the higher things of life," advises Mr. Rockefeller. That's all very well, Mr. Rockefeller, but it is hard to do it when a fellow has to dig for a bare living.

Princess Louise of Saxony is said to owe \$900,000. She might issue bonds to that amount and begin negotiations with a bond syndicate or organized among a lot of life insurance presidents.

An American autoist in France was fined \$4,000 and sentenced to imprisonment for three months for running

over and killing a little girl. In this country he would probably have been compelled to send his chauffeur to the police station with a blank check to pay a twenty dollar fine.

To be consistent some earnest administration supporter should suggest to the czar that he secure the services of some eminent American politician to teach the Russian people self-government.

When the price of coal goes up the excuses are numerous—shortage of cars, shortage of coal, shortage of miners. The fact that people are often short of coal money seems never to cut a figure.

It will be noted that no one is wasting time asking the insurance company presidents where they go. Everybody knows. What everybody wants to know is when the life insurance presidents are to be jarred loose.

The supreme court has decided that a schoolboy has a right to inspect the books of his company. Perhaps, but what can he expect to find in books that are doctored up until they perplex a government expert?

The eminent gentlemen who imagine that they can make the people believe they are "standing by the reform" while opposing his rate reduction policy have very little conception of the mental perception of the people.

The packers claim that Commissioner Garfield promised them immunity in return for all the facts about their business is a joke—and a very bad joke. The packers overdid the business when they cooked up those figures.

The republican gang in Philadelphia made a desperate fight and spent immense sums of money. Among other expenditures was one for newspaper advertising display, but they couldn't get the editorial writers. The Record, a democratic paper, accepted the advertisement and donated the money therefor to the Philadelphia Home for incurables. Then it roasted the gang to a brown turn editorially. The gang in Philadelphia has looted the city to the tune of millions, but the Record said in getting a part of it back and devoting it to a good cause.

DAT TERRIBLE

THANKSGIVING TURKEY

Lord, have mercy! cried Uncle Ned, Dat turkey's done got away.

I knows he wus beah when I went to bed,

Caze I put him in beah to stay.

I tied him up beah an' I think he ud stay;

Lord knows he wus tied hard enough

I think I ud kep him till Thanksgiving day

For ole mammy to get out an' stuff.

Mars Tom he sho will be mad at me,

But 'twain my fault you all know

How dat turkey got out now I jes doan see,

An' I doan see what fur he ud go.

Had plenty to eat in dis here barn yard,

Not one lick of work to do,

Now he'll scratch fur his livin' an' have to work hard

Dat he alint got no sences I know.

But de idea of him a-runin' away

An' jes befo' Thanksgiving 'fool

Jes' thought to myself on dat day

I'd not have a lick to do!

I don't see what fur he wanted to sneak;

Don't believe he'll ever be found.

I've looked behind ever' stick an' stone,

An' I've looked all over the ground.

I'll have to keep on till I find dat brute

An' I'se doan looked most every where—

What's dat squattin' up dere on dat branch?

It's dat turkey-goblin, I swear!

Lord, have mercy, so it am!

He'll jes' go up an' snap him

How I couldn't find him I never will see,

He a-perchin' up dere jes' a-snappin'.

Now, brudder turkey, when de cook tennes you

I reckon you'll holler away,

Caze you doan know what dey's gwine to do,

When dey cooks you for Thanksgiving day!

—BERT C. LEIGHTON.

NEWS AND VIEWS

FROM STATE PAPERS.

A Peculiar Trade.

How's this for a peculiar trade? It occurred in a Pennsylvania town recently. A one-legged man named Jas. Bruner was standing on the Mercer National Bank corner, when another fellow afflicted in a like manner came swinging across the street on his crutches. He paused before the first man and eying him quizzically remarked: "Say, partner, let's go up the street and buy us a pair of shoes." As one man had lost his right leg and the other his left they hobbled up to the shoe store and got fitted with a shoe a piece. Then each fellow laid his half of the bill and the two men, with a pair of shoes between them, went on their way rejoicing.—Manatee Record.

Smell Due Later.

We could "extemporize" column after column on the thrift of Florida, but put us to extemporizing on the thrift of High Springs, and we are blank. Save erection of a livery stable of Futch & Mizelle on Main street. The building is looking very "stable" and we suppose will smell in accordance later on.—High Springs Hor-net.

Shaw's Visit to Tampa.

The visit of Secretary Shaw to the city is the most important event of this moment. The people of this city will appreciate the compliment and do the gentleman the honor that befits the occasion. His possible aspirations for the presidential nomination will be put in abeyance for the occasion, and we only have to welcome the active and prominent statesman who occupies perhaps the most responsible and important position in the cabinet. The secretary will arrive tomorrow and will receive a hearty welcome.—Tampa Times.

West Florida Products.

A round up in one of the local stores last Friday brought to light the following vegetables on sale of home growth and fresh from the garden, butter-beans, cucumbers, ruta bagas, turnips, potatoes Irish and sweet and snap peas with Japanese persimmons

PEOPLE OF PENSACOLA

A PROCLAMATION BY W. H. WHITE & CO.

Whereas, the people of our city have been led to purchase so-called remedies from which they have received no benefit whatever, and having thus wasted so much hard-earned money, it has come to pass that they knew not what to believe.

Inasmuch as this unsatisfactory state of affairs now exists, know, therefore, all persons who are in need of a medicine for any of the following ailments, that we will supply them with Vinol, our Cod Liver preparation made without oil, on a positive guarantee that if it does not succeed in benefiting them, we will refund the entire amount of money they have laid out on the medicine.

There is no one medicine that will cure everything, but there are some we know to be honest, reliable and of great curative value. Such is VINOL; it is not a patent or secret medicine,—everything in it is plainly printed on the label. We are familiar with every particle of it, and know that it should be a blessing to all persons who have troubles herein, after described; and, unlike other medicines, it will cost absolutely nothing if it produces benefit.

Could any offer be more fair than this? You are ill; we offer you medicine which we believe in our hearts will be a blessing to you, and if it is not we will return to you every penny you paid us. Is there anyone foolish enough not to accept this offer? If you are ill and need such a medicine you owe it to your family, to your friends, and yourself to try VINOL, which we give you our pledge is a genuine Cod Liver preparation made from fresh Cod's Livers.

Do you think we could afford to lend our name to its praises, as we have been doing in the newspapers, if we did not know VINOL to be an honest and unusually valuable remedy for the ills for which it is prescribed? We certainly could not; we therefore ask you, our neighbors, friends and acquaintances, to accept our assurances that this is a genuine offer, and that any and all persons who need a medicine of this character should feel a sense of security in our offer.

All Run Down—No Appetite. If you feel all worn out, have very little appetite, and not much sleep, caused by over-work or sickness, try VINOL on our guarantee.

Debilitated—All Tired Out. Why drag out an existence without life or ambition. It is not natural to feel continually tired. We guarantee VINOL will bring life, strength and vigor to the debilitated. If you do not feel well try VINOL. If it does not help you, your money will be refunded.

Gain Flesh—Get Strong. You can get fat without taking disagreeable Cod Liver Oil. Fat taken into the system does not create fat. We believe VINOL will create flesh quicker than any preparation containing grease. We have proved in many cases that VINOL quickly creates strength. Try it on our guarantee.

Indigestion—Dyspepsia. Only those who actually suffer know its terrors, for them life is robbed of all joy. It produces many serious complications and enfeebls the entire system. Relief only comes when a scientific remedy enables the stomach to properly assimilate food. There is no medicine that will do this so successfully as VINOL. Try it on our guarantee.

Old People—Weak People need a strengthening and invigorating re-builder. VINOL is of exceptional value in such cases. We guarantee it to give strength and health to those who are weak and debilitated, from disease or old age. Try it on our guarantee.

Pale Women—Pale Children need a tonic-reconstructor that will create flesh and make pure red blood. Pale, haggard faces show that the blood is poor and thin, and also indicates imperfect digestion. VINOL will correct such troubles as sure as the sun shines. Children love VINOL, it is so delicious. Try it on our guarantee.

Bronchitis—Sore Lungs often end fatally unless specially cared for in its early stages. There is no medicine more valuable for restoring health to the throat and lungs than VINOL. Try it on our guarantee.

Nervousness—Irritability. Diseased nerves are due to over-work, insufficient nourishment or slow breaking down of general health. We guarantee VINOL to permanently and effectually remove nerve affections; it actually rebuilds the entire body. Try it on our guarantee.

Chronic Colds—Hacking Cough. Sure signs of danger ahead. One might as well commit suicide as to let them go unchecked. VINOL is the very medicine needed. Unlike other Cod Liver preparations, it does not upset the stomach, and is delicious to the taste. Try it on our guarantee.

Nursing Mothers—Weak Mothers. If women with nursing babies who have difficulty in keeping up their health and strength would take VINOL, we know positively that the best results would be obtained. You know the life and future development of the child depends upon proper nourishment.

We stake our reputation on this offer being genuine. You will absolutely be under no obligation to us whatever, if after you have given VINOL a fair trial for any of the above ailments, and have not received any benefit; you have only to tell us so, and we will return the entire amount of money you have paid us.

You see our faith in VINOL, and you must admit that we know something about medicine; therefore, when we tell you that VINOL is the most valuable Cod Liver preparation we have ever known, and a wonderful tonic-reconstructor and re-builder of strength, appetite and health, at the same time delicious to taste, we are not unreasonable to expect you to believe us.

W. H. WHITE & CO., Druggists

Can't Ship Mullet Now.

The last legislature passed a law preventing the shipping of mullet from any point in Florida. This action was the result of official reports that this species of fish, caught in large numbers on the east and west coasts, was rapidly being diminished. The law, however, does not prevent the catching of mullet, so that residents of seaport towns may supply their

Walpole's Bran Marks.

Frank Walpole rose up in a bowl of indignation last week because Charlie Jones referred to him as "freckled." Those bran marks are not freckles, Charlie; they are only "beauty spots," caused from running bareheaded in the wilds of Sumter county. No, Frank is not freckled; he's got just one, that "kivers the whole ground."

All Annoyed With the God.

Momus, in Greek fable, was the god of mockery and satire, who delighted in finding fault with gods and men. He was chosen to act as judge when there was a strife between Neptune, Minerva and Vulcan for supremacy in artistic power. Neptune made a bull, Minerva a house and Vulcan a man. Momus declared that Neptune should have set his bull's horns farther forward for fighting purposes. He said that Minerva should have so constructed her house that it could be moved away from troublesome neighbors and that Vulcan should have made a window in the man's breast through which his thoughts could be seen. All were so annoyed at his criticisms that they turned him out of heaven, and soon after this he died of vexation because he could find no fault in Venus, the goddess of love and beauty.

WHERE THE JOURNAL CAN BE FOUND.

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Gem Book Store,
Merchants Hotel,
Southern Hotel,
Thompson's Book Store,
Wagand Ice Cream Parlor,
Wagenheim's News Stand,
Walker's Book Store.

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Oct. 6, 5,400	Oct. 22, 5,750
Oct. 7, 5,400	Oct. 23, 5,750
Oct. 8, 5,650	Oct. 24, 5,750
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